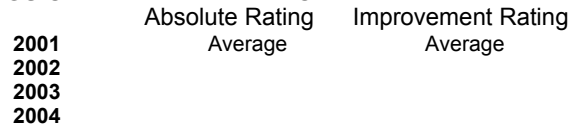


**ABSOLUTE RATING: Average**  
**IMPROVEMENT RATING: Average**

Number of Elementary schools with students like ours: 88.

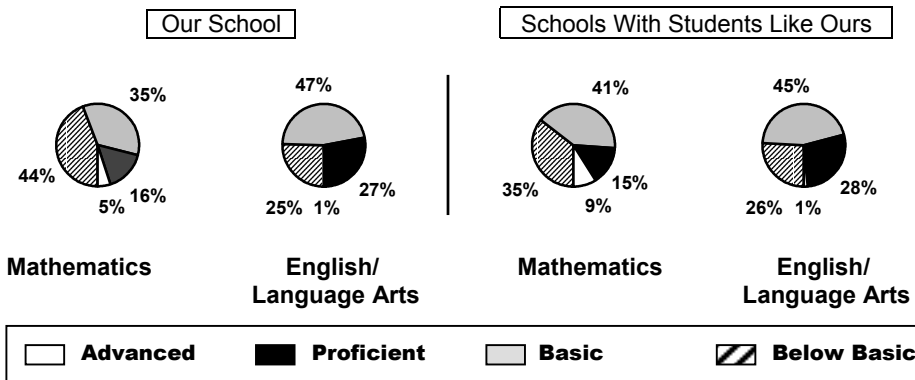
The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from below average to good. For improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to excellent.

## RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD



(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

## PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS



## DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:

- Advanced** – Student performance exceeded expectations.
- Proficient** – Student performance met expectations.
- Basic** – Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- Below Basic** – Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science scores are to be reported on the 2004 School Report Card. Social studies scores are to be reported on the 2005 School Report Card.

PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING BASIC OR ABOVE ON THE PACT				
Student Group	English/ Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
<b>All students (n=118)</b>	74.6	55.9	N/A	N/A
Students with disabilities other than Speech (n=18)	N/A	N/A		
Students without disabilities (n=100)	81	65		
<b>Gender</b>				
Male (n=62)	67.7	53.2		
Female (n=56)	82.1	58.9		
<b>Ethnic Group</b>				
African American (n=35)	48.6	31.4		
Hispanic (n=13)	N/A	N/A		
White (n=69)	87	63.8		
Other (n=1)	N/A	N/A		
<b>Lunch Status Group</b>				
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=64)	64.1	43.8		
Pay for lunch (n=54)	87	70.4		

## SCHOOL PROFILE

### INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Elementary School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Dollars spent per student	\$5,674	N/A	\$5,112	\$5,347
• Prime instructional time	92%	Down from 95.8%	90.1%	90.2%
• Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	19.9 to 1	N/A	18.3 to 1	18.7 to 1
<b>STUDENTS (n=252)</b>				
• Attendance Rate	96.4%	Down from 96.9%	96.1%	96.2%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level	0%	N/A	3.6%	4.1%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level	0%	N/A	3%	3.1%
• First graders who attended full day kindergarten	100%	Up from 94.2%	96.7%	96.3%
• Meeting grade 1 and 2 readiness standards	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
• Retention rate	4.7%	Down from 4.9%	4%	3.6%
<b>TEACHERS (n=18)</b>				
• Professional Development days per teacher	5.7 Days	Up from 5.4	7.4 Days	7.6 days
• Attendance Rate	96.8%	Down from 99.1%	95.1%	95.1%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	55.6%	Down from 62.5%	44.8%	47.7%
• Continuing contract teachers	77.8%	Up from 75%	84%	83.8%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	0%	No change	0%	0.0%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	89.8%	Up from 85.5%	87.8%	87.2%
• Average teacher salary	\$40,659	Up 4.1%	\$36,723	\$37,520

## SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Elementary School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	59.7%	N/A	65.7%	65.3%
• Principal's years at the school	3	N/A	4	4.0
• Parents attending conferences	81.8%	N/A	95.4%	95.6%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Good	Good
<b>STUDENTS</b>				
• On academic plans	N/A	N/A	46%	43.1%
• On academic probation	N/A	N/A	0%	0.0%
• Older than usual for grade	2%	Up from 0.5%	1.3%	1.1%
• Suspended or expelled	11	N/A	1	1
• Gifted and talented	12.2%	Up from 10.5%	9.6%	11.5%
• With disabilities other than speech	8.6%	Up from 6.6%	8.3%	8.4%



## PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Westcliffe Elementary is a small suburban school in the northwest area of Greenville County. We have 260 students with 12% of our students being hispanic. Our CSAB scores were the highest in the District this past school year. The PTA is very active in our school and plan many activities for our students and staff. The SIC Committee is composed mostly of the retired neighbors of the school who are very interested in the success of Westcliffe.

We have 260 students at this school with 16 students in third, fourth, and fifth grades who qualified for Challenge. This is the largest number of Challenge students in three years. Our goal is to qualify for a Challenge teacher one full day rather than half a day one time a week.

Westcliffe Elementary  
105 Eastbourne Road  
Greenville, SC 29611

**Grades** K-5 Elementary School

**Enrollment:** 252 Students

### Principal

Mrs. Carolyn Morgan 864-294-4242

### Superintendent

William E. Harner 864-241-3458

### Board Chair

Roger D. Meek 864-233-8567

## THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School  
Report Card

**2001**



School Grade:  
Average

### EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	85.0	87.5	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	85.0	87.2	
Satisfied with home-school relations	35.0	94.4	

### DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

**Excellent** – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Good** – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Average** – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Below Average** – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Unsatisfactory** – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

### South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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